

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI**

**IN RE: Kevin Alton Walton, Debtor**

**Case No. 24-02317-JAW  
CHAPTER 13**

**NOTICE**

Debtor has filed papers with the court to be Employ Counsel.

**Your rights may be affected. You should read these papers carefully and discuss them with your attorney, if you have one in this bankruptcy case. (If you do not have an attorney, you may wish to consult one.)**

If you do not want the court to grant the Motion, or if you want the court to consider your views on the Motion, then on or before 21 days, you or your attorney must:

File with the court a written request for a hearing at:

U.S. Bankruptcy Clerk  
U.S. Bankruptcy Court  
Thad Cochran United States Courthouse  
501 E. Court St., Ste 2.300  
Jackson, MS 39201

If you mail your request to the court for filing, you must mail it early enough so the court will **receive** it on or before the date state above.

You must also mail a copy to Debtor's attorney:

The Rollins Law Firm, PLLC  
P.O. Box 13767  
Jackson, MS 39236  
(601) 500-5533

If you or your attorney do not take these steps, the court may decide that you do not oppose the relief sought in the motion and may enter an order granting that relief, which shall sustain this Application.

Date: May 9, 2025.

Signature: /s/ Thomas C. Rollins, Jr.  
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**APPLICATION OF DEBTOR TO EMPLOY COUNSEL**

COMES NOW, Kevin Alton Walton (the "Debtor"), by and through the undersigned counsel, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 327(a) and Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2014, and hereby respectfully moves this Court to approve the employment of Thomas C. Rollins, Jr. of The Rollins Law Firm, PLLC as attorney for the Debtor. In support of this application, the Debtor states as follows:

1. On October 4, 2024, the Debtor filed a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 13 of the Bankruptcy Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Mississippi.
2. The Debtor wishes to employ Thomas C. Rollins, Jr. of The Rollins Law Firm, PLLC as its attorney once the case is converted to chapter 12.
3. The professional services to be rendered by Mr. Rollins include, but are not limited to, advising the Debtor on all matters which are now anticipated to arise in the functioning of this proceeding.
4. Mr. Rollins is competent to represent the Debtor in all matters which are now anticipated to arise in the functioning of this proceeding.
5. To the best of the Debtor's knowledge, Mr. Rollins has no adverse interest to the Debtor or the estate and has no connection with the creditors or other parties in interest or their respective attorneys.
6. The proposed terms of employment for Mr. Rollins are as follows:
  - a. Mr. Rollins' hourly rate is \$360 per hour;
  - b. Paralegals will bill at \$155 per hour;

- c. Legal assistants will bill at \$100 per hour;
- 7. Any retainer received will be applied against the fees and expenses incurred before any additional fees will be sought.
- 8. The Bankruptcy Code allows for the employment of professionals, including attorneys, on reasonable terms and conditions, subject to court approval. 11 U.S.C. § 327(a)
- 9. The proposed terms of employment, including the hourly rates, are reasonable and in line with prevailing market rates for attorneys with similar experience and expertise in bankruptcy matters.
- 10. The employment of Mr. Rollins is necessary and in the best interests of the Debtor and the estate to ensure proper representation throughout the Chapter 12 proceedings.

WHEREFORE, the Debtor respectfully requests that this Court enter an order:

- A. Authorizing the employment of Thomas C. Rollins, Jr. of The Rollins Law Firm, PLLC as attorney for the Debtor;
- B. Approving the terms of employment as set forth in this application; and
- C. Granting such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

Kevin Alton Walton, APPLICANT

BY:

/s/ Thomas C. Rollins, Jr.  
Thomas C. Rollins, Jr.  
Its Attorney

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**AFFIDAVIT OF ATTORNEY**

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HINDS

I, Thomas C. Rollins, Jr., being duly sworn, hereby depose and say:

1. I am an attorney duly admitted to practice law in the State of Mississippi and before the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi. I am a partner of The Rollins Law Firm, PLLC (the "Firm"), which maintains its principal office at 40 Northtown Drive, Jackson MS 39211.
2. This Affidavit is submitted pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 327(a) and Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2014(a) in support of the application of Kevin Alton Walton (the "Debtor") for an order approving the employment of myself and the Firm as attorneys for the Debtor in the above-captioned Chapter 13 case (the "Case"). This Case was filed on October 4, 2024, in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Mississippi (the "Court").
3. To the best of my knowledge, I do not represent any interest adverse to the Debtor or its estate in the matters upon which I am to be engaged. I am a "disinterested person" as that term is defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(14). The Firm, its partners, of counsel, and associates:
  - a. are not creditors, equity security holders, or insiders of the Debtor;
  - b. are not and were not, within two years before the Petition Date, directors, officers, or employees of the Debtor; and
  - c. do not have an interest materially adverse to the interest of the estate or of any class of creditors or equity security holders, by reason of any direct or indirect relationship to, connection with, or interest in, the Debtor, or for any other reason.

FURTHER, AFFIANT SAITH NOT.

Dated this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025  
 X TR  
 By: Thomas Rollins

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May,  
 2025.



Shaton Andrews  
 NOTARY PUBLIC

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Thomas C. Rollins, Jr., do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Notice and Application were forwarded on May 12, 2025, to:

By USPS First Class Mail:

Kevin Alton Walton  
318 Shady Lane  
Vicksburg, MS 39180

By Electronic CM/ECF Notice:

Case Trustee

U.S. Trustee

/s/ Thomas C. Rollins, Jr.  
Thomas C. Rollins, Jr.

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

IN RE:  
KEVIN ALTON WALTON

CASE NO: 24-02317

**DECLARATION OF MAILING  
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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On 5/12/2025, I did cause a copy of the following documents, described below,  
Notice and Application to Employ Counsel  
Exhibit A

to be served for delivery by the United States Postal Service, via First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, with sufficient postage thereon to the parties listed on the mailing list exhibit, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

I caused these documents to be served by utilizing the services of BK Attorney Services, LLC d/b/a certificateofservice.com, an Approved Bankruptcy Notice Provider authorized by the United States Courts Administrative Office, pursuant to Fed.R.Bankr.P. 9001(9) and 2002(g)(4). A copy of the declaration of service is attached hereto and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

Parties who are participants in the Courts Electronic Noticing System ("NEF"), if any, were denoted as having been served electronically with the documents described herein per the ECF/PACER system.

DATED: 5/12/2025

/s/ Thomas C. Rollins, Jr.  
Thomas C. Rollins, Jr.

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were deposited for delivery by the United States Postal Service, via First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, with sufficient postage thereon to the parties listed on the mailing list exhibit, a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

The undersigned does hereby declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the United States that I have served the above referenced document(s) on the mailing list attached hereto in the manner shown and prepared the Declaration of Certificate of Service and that it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

DATED: 5/12/2025



Miles Wood  
BK Attorney Services, LLC  
d/b/a certificateofservice.com, for  
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## CASE INFO

LABEL MATRIX FOR LOCAL NOTICING  
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